Cook, Sheridan

From: Laidlaw, Tina

Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 12:14 PM

To: 'Suplee, Mike'

Subject: RE: Rec use removal criteria

Sounds good.

From: Suplee, Mike [mailto:msuplee@mt.gov] Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 11:55 AM

To: Laidlaw, Tina

Subject: RE: Rec use removal criteria

Hi Tina;

Yes, please include this subject on the agenda.

Here is our current plan regarding non-deg and nutrients meetings:

- 1. Develop an outline of discussion topics
- 2. Circulate among the core interested parties (yourself included) and ask folks to help us fill out the details
- 3. When sufficiently developed, call the meeting and further the discussion there (you will be invited)-likely midlate JUne

Sound good?

Mike

From: Laidlaw, Tina [mailto:Laidlaw.Tina@epa.gov]

Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 11:38 AM

To: Suplee, Mike

Subject: RE: Rec use removal criteria

Thanks for the reminder. Here you go:

- 1. Nearly dry or dry
- 2. Remote and/or difficult to access (not close to hiking trails; private lands or very remote for public lands)
- 3. Velocity makes the stream potentially dangerous to wade

One of our concerns was that < 0.5 m could still allow primary and/or secondary contact recreation by fisherman or backpackers wanting to wade in a high quality stream.

Here's a thought: what if we discuss this approach with Dave next Tuesday as well. It would be good for you to hear his thoughts directly.

Hope this helps.

Tina

From: Suplee, Mike [mailto:msuplee@mt.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 11:07 AM

To: Laidlaw, Tina

Subject: Rec use removal criteria

Hi Tina;

You were going to provide me the list of criteria we use in Region VIII to potentially remove a recreation use. That would be helpful as a continue to try to craft our temporary use class approach.

Thanks,

Mike